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Hongkong & Shanghai banking CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL,.....5,000,000 Dollars. RESERVE FUND,......1,000,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-F. D. SASSOON, Esq. Deputy Chairman- W. H. FORBES, Esq. E. R. BELILIOS, Esq. | ADAM LIND, Esq. H. L. DALEYMPLE, WILHELM REINERS,

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CHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong,..... THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.

MANAGER. Shanghai, ..... EWEN CAMERON, Esq. LONDON BANKERS .- London and County

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. N Current Deposit Account at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily

For Fixed Deposits :--For 8 months, 2 per cent, per annum, 4 per cent. ,, 5 per cent.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED, Gredits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON.

Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, February 27, 1878.

# Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

TAR. HORATIO GAY JAMES WAS admitted a Partner in our Firm on the 1st January, 1878. GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

Hongkong, January 5, 1878.

NOTICE.

HAVE This Day established myself at this Port as a MERCHANT and COM-MISSION AGENT, under the Style or Firm of GEO. R. STEVENS & Co., who will henceforward conduct the Agency of the Australian STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. G. R. STEVENS.

Hongkong, December 29, 1877.

NOTICE. NAR. H. F. MEYERINK has been admitted a Partner in our Firm from This Date. MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1878.

NOTICE.

this Port, under the Style or Firm, WEST POINT IRON WORKS, ENGINEERS and BOILERMAKERS, WILLIAM DUNPHY & Co.,

Late Manager of the Novelty Iron Works, Hongkong. WM. DUNPHY.

Hongkong, December 10, 1877. - je10

For Sale.

FOR SALE,

ARGE TAKASIMA COAL, Ex Godown at 88 per Ton. Apply to

THS. G. GLOVER, No. 7, Queen's Road Central, and East Point,

Hongkong, February 18, 1678. COAL

DEST QUALITY CARDIFF STEAM D COAL for Sale, ex Godown.

Apply to BATTLES & Co. Hongkong, Detember 3, 1877,

for sale.

#### LAMMERT, ATKINSON & CO. HAVE FOR SALE.

Ex M. M. S. S. "AVA." AND OTHER RECENT ARRIVALS

THEYSSONNEAU'S STRAWBERRIES in SYRUP. TEYSSONNEAU'S ASSORTED FRUITS in NOYEAU. TEYBBONNEAU'S ASSORTED FRUITS

in BRANDY. TEYSSONNEAU'S ASSORTED PATES. n Patent Tine. TEYBSONNEAU'S PATE DE FOIE GRAS, in Patent Tins.

TEYBSONNEAU'S ASSORTED JAMS and JELLIES, in Glass Bottles. PHILIPPE and CANAUD'S ASSORTED PATES. PHILIPPE and CANAUD'S LONG ASPA-

RAGUS. PHILIPPE and CANAUD'S SARDINES.

FENARD & FILS' CHERBOURG BUTTER, in Bottles. CIGARETTES, COMPAGNIE LAFERME.

RICHMOND, SMOKING MIXTURE. BARCELONA NUTS. BRAZIL NUTS. PEA NUTS. ALMONDS in SHELL.

SMYRNA FIGS. MUSCATEL BLOOM RAISINS, in Jartoons. EPPS' COCOA.

BORDEN'S CONDENSED MILK. GOLDEN GATE FLOUR, in Barrels. GALETINE and ISINGLAS, in & lb. Packets. WAFFLE IRONS. AMERICAN BROILERS.

VERY FINE "O. K." BOURBON WHISKY.

BILLIARD CUE TIPS. BILLIARD CUE CEMENT. BILLIARD CHALK. BILLIARD TABLE CLOTHS. BAROLAY and PERKINS' PORTER, in HOTE'S Best Quality RUSSIAN ROPE.

HOTH'S ASSORTED TARRED and

FAIRBANKS' SCALES. Hongkong, February 22, 1878.

WHITE LINES.

# Intimations.

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED. THIS REFINERY MANUFACTURES

T OAF SUGAR, (in 5, 10, and 15 ths. Loaves.)

Cut and Powdered LOAF SUGAR. OUBE SUGAR (Lyle's Patent), shortly. CRYSTALIZED SUGAR, mark C. S. R. in diamond) A 11II\*. Fine WHITE SUGAR, mark C. S. R.

in diamond) A III\*. Medium WHITE SUGAR, mark C. S. R. (in diamond) A II\*. Fine YELLOW SUGAR, mark C. S. R. (in diamond) A II. COFFEE SUGAR, mark C. S. R.

(in diamond) B I. Molasses. SPIRITS OF WINE and LAMP SPIRIT.

RUM. 45°, 30°, O. P., and Naval. ANIMAL CHARCOAL and DUST. AMMONIACAL LIQUOR, from Bones. BONE TAR (a preventive of white auts.) ROUGH BONE TALLOW.

Packed in Quantities and Packages to suit Quatomers.

Particulars and Prices on application to THE MANAGEB. CHINA SUGAR REFINING CO., LIMITED, East Point, Hongkong.

March 5, 1878.

THE STAG HOTE-L 10, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGRONG.

TS now undergoing EXTENSIVE ALTERA-TIONS and REPAIRS, and will be En- TO WONG HING CHEUNG & Co., T HAVE This Day Established myself at TIBELY RE-FURNISHED and OPENED for Business on 9th March, 1878, under new Management.

First rate Accommodation for Visitors. Attached to the Hotel is a commodious Billiard Room

WINES and SPIRITS of the BEST QUALITY ONLY. PROPRIETOR-J. COOK STAG HOTEL, QUEEN'S ROAD.

Hongkong, March 4, 1878. DENTAL NOTICE.

TAR. ROGERS begs to intimate to his Friends that he is about to visit SHANGHAL, and will be absent from Hongkong from April 1st to June 15th.

Hongkong, March 4, 1878. STANDARD FIRE OFFICE, LONDON.

THE Undersigned having been appointed representatives, on presentation of Share Agents to the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.

DISCOUNT 20 % VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, March 1, 1879.

Intimations.

#### ARRIVALS. LATE

MBRELLAS, AUTOMATON PATENT. NOVELTIES in TIES and SCARFS. COLLARS and SHIRTS, in New Shapes. CHRISTY'S Newest Shapes in HATS. TALL BLACK SILK and DRAB HATS

ELWOOD'S CORK and FELT HELM MEERSCHAUM and BRIAR PIPES. CIGAR TUBES, Assorted.

> LAWN TENNIS BATS and BALLS. RACQUET BATS and BALLS. CRICKET BATS, BALLS and STUMPS. CABINETS of GAMES.

LADIES' DRESSING BAGS, Fitted. MANTEL-PIECE MIRRORS. FRENCH and ENGLISH DOLLS. AMERICAN ICE PITCHERS. RUSSIAN CIGARETTES: SILBER KEROSINE LAMPS.

# LANE, CRAWFORD &

RIOR.

Tender is reserved.

Hongkong, February 25, 1878.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY. LIMITED.

EXCURSION TO MACAO. N SATURDAY, the 9th Instant, the

MACAO STEAMER will leave at 3 p.m., and on the Return Trip on MON-DAY, will leave at 7.30 a.m. First-class Fare to MACAO and Back, between Saturday and Monday, \$3; Second-class \$1.50. By Order,

P. A. DA COSTA,

Hongkong, March 6, 1878. YANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-

NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS.

TN Accordance with the Articles of Agree-

ment, the Directors have declared a Dividend to Policy-holders for the fiscal Year ending 30th September, 1877, of TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT, on the NET PREMIA CONTRIBUTED. Warrants will be delivered by the Under-

signed to Contributors of Premia at this Port. on and after the 9th Instant, Policy-holders are requested to send in particulars of their Contributions. By Order of the Directors, RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, March 5, 1878. THE CHINESE INSURANCE CO.. LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NTOTICE is hereby given, that the Seventh Ordinary MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be Held at the Head Office. Victoria, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 22nd March 1878, at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, toge-GOLDEN SYRUP, SYRUP, and ther with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1877. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 8th March to the 22nd March, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board,

OLYPHANT & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, February 22, 1878. mc22

G. FALCONER & Co., WATCH AND CHRONOMETER MANUFACTURERS, AND

JEWELLERS, NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS, CHARTS AND BOOKS.

48, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, February 20, 1878.

COAL MERCHANTS. Have always on hand for Sale every description of COAL at Moderate Prices. Mr Anyon has been appointed Manager, and all Orders addressed to him at 57, Praya, or to Mr Far Jack, at 30, Hing Lung Street, will receive immediate atten-

Hongkong, March 19, 1877.

NOTICE. OFFICE OF THE SHANGHAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, IN LIQUIDATION.

THIRD RETURN of CAPITAL and A INTEREST at the Rate of PIVE TARLS per SHARK will be made to Share holders of Record on the 28th February. Payable at the Office of the Liquidators, on the 8th March.

Warrants will be delivered by the Undersigned to Shareholders, or their lawful Certificates for Endorsement. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be ULOSED from the 1st to the 8th March inclusive

By Order, RUSSELL & Co., Shanghal, February 28, 1578,

NAVAL CONTRACT, 1878-79.

CEALED TENDERS, in duplicate, will D be Received by the Undersigned. until Noon on FRIDAY, the 15th March 1878, from Persons desirous of SUPPLY-ING the following ARTICLES for the use of H. M. Navy for the year 1878-79, viz. :-FRESH BREF. FRESH VEGETABLES. RAISINS.

SOFT BREAD. SUGAR. BISCUIT. Printed Forms of Tender and further particulars can be obtained at the Naval Storekeeper's Office. The right to reject the lowest or any

J. BREMNER, H. M. Victualling Yard, Storekeeper. Hongkong, February 25, 1878 me15

THE HONGKONG HOTEL. TENDERS are invited for a LEASE of the HONGKONG HOTEL, the present Five-yearly Lease expiring on the 31st August, 1878. SEALED TENDERS to be sent in on or before the 31st March, 1878, to the Secretary of the Hongkong HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED, who will supply

any information required: By Order of the Directors, LOUIS HAUSOHILD, Becretary.

Hongkong, September 15, 1877. THE EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF THE UNITED STATES.

HENRY B. HYDE, President. W. ALEXANDER, Vice-President. SAMUEL BORROWE, Secretary. A. A. HAYES, JR., General Manager, for China and Japan,

PRINCIPAL OFFICE, 120, BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

Surplus...... \$ 5,500,000

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong, China, for the above Company, are prepared to Accept Risks at greatly reduced rates and upon terms very favourable to the assured. For full information and particulars,

apply to OLYPHANT & Co., Agents. Hougkong, January 21, 1878.

# RELIABLE, ECONOMICAL, SAFEI

TESIRING to benefit by the worldwide reputation of our Oil, certain parties have attempted to imitate our packages. Suits at law have been instituted against the MAKERS AND PURCHASERS Of these imitations. Buyers should be careful to see that the words "DEVOE'S BRIL-LIANT" are stendilled on the cases, and the words "DEVOE MTG CO. PATENTS" are stamped on the top of the can.

THE DEVOE MANUFACTURING Ca. 80 Beaver and 127 Pearl Streets, MEN YORK, U. S. A.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. Plaintiff-Chun A-YAU. Defendant-Ng A-KEW.

HE Undersigned has received instructions from the Registrar of the Supreme Court of Hongkong, to sell by Public Auction, under a Decree of the Court made in the above Suit, on the Premises, on

FRIDAY,

the 15th March, 1878, at THREE o'clock

in the Afternoon,-All that PIECE or PARCEL of GROUND situate lying and being at Victoria, in the Island of Hongkong, abutting on the North side thereof on the Praya and measuring thereon Fourteen feet; on the South side thereof on a Public Road and measuring thereon Fourteen feet; on the East side thereof on s Close registered in the Land Office as Marine Lot No. 70, and measuring thereon One Hundred feet; and on the West side thereof on a Close registered in the Land Office as Marine Lot No. 206, and measuring thereon One Hundred feet, which said PIECE or PARCEL of Ground contains in the whole One Thousand and Four Hundred square feet, and is registered in the Land Office as MARINE LOT No. 80. For the residue of the term of 999 years created by a Crown Lease dated the 28th day of May, 1867, to commence from the 26th day of December, 1866, subject to the Yearly Rent of Twenty-four Dollars and Sixty-eight Cents, and to all other covenants conditions and stipulations in the said Lease reserved or contained. The foregoing Property will be sold subject to a Mortgage of \$4,600 and interest thereon at \$9 per cent. per annum calculated from the 28th day of

January, 1878, and the said Mortgage expires on the 23th day of January, 1879. For further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to WILLIAM HENRY BRERETON, Solicitor for the Plaintiff, 29. Queen's Road, Hongkong.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Hongkong, February 28, 1878. mr15

shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Steamship "KWANGTUNG." Capt. PUNCHARD, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 8th Instant, at Daylight,

instead of as previously advertised. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1878.

THE FOR BANGKOK. The Steamship "MADAGASOAR,"
Timm, Master, will be despatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 8th Instant, at 2 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, March 5, 1878. FOR SHANGHAL

The Steamship Capt. WESTORY, will be deapatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 8th Instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1878,

MONTHLY SERVICE.

State of the state of FOR PORT DARWIN, COOKTOWN SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE,

and the usual Ports. One of the Australasian S. N. Co.'s Steamers will leave this for the above Ports on or about the 20th Proximo.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. Hongkong, February 25, 1878.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR BAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American ship CHARGER' will load here for the above Port, and have quick despatch For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 2, 1878,

shipping.

Sailing Vessels. FOR VICTORIA (V. I.)

The A 1 American 3-m. Schooner "MIGNON," Capt, Souls, having the greater portion of her Cargo engaged,

ROZARIO & Co. Hongkong, February 9, 1878.

FOR LONDON.

here and have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

> FOR MANILA. The Spanish Schooner

For Freight, apply to REMEDIOS & Co.

Hongkong, March 6, 1878.

"MINERVA," ESCAUBIAGA, Master, will have immediate despatch as above.

Hongkong, February 21, 1878. FOR PORTLAND (OREGON). The A 1 American Ship

For Freight, apply to YOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

FOR YOKOHAMA (DIRECT.) The A 1 American Ship

VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.,

mediate despatch as above. For Freight, apply to

FOR LONDON.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

FOR PORTLAND (OREGON). The A 1 British Ship CITY OF HALIFAX, Evans, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American Bark

Hongkong, January 30, 1878. FOR NEW YORK "NIAGARA,"

VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN LOCALINA Hongkong, January 30, 1878.

FOR HAMBURG The A 1 British Barque as above. For Freight, apply to

VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

BINGAPORE. THE S. S. Venice having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send their Bills of Lading for countersignature to the Under

once landed and stored at Consigner risk and expense.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, March 5, 1878.

will have immediate despatch as above. For Freight, apply to

The A 1 British Bark DAVID BARRY, Master, will load

Hongkong, February 8, 1878.

Captain I. Uniarre, will have immediate despatch as above.

FOR MANILA. The Spanish Barque

For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co.

"ANNIE M. SMULL." PACKER, Master, will load for the above Port, and will have nick despatch.

Hongkong, March 1, 1878.

NOBBIS, Master, will have im-

Hongkong, February 28, 1878,

The A 1 American Ship The A I American Ship

"ALICE M. MINOTT,"

WHITMORE, Master, will have

quick despatch for the above

Hongkong, February 8, 1878.

VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, January 30, 1878.

HAWKINS, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have immediate despatch. For Freight, apply to

The A 1 German Bark 103.5 WISHRUSEN, Master, will load for the above Port, and will. have immediate despatch.

"ANTIPODES,"
Captain Wyern, will load here

Hongkong, January 28, 1878 FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

signed, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge will be at

#### Notices to Consignees.

OCCIDENTAL & ORIENTAL S. S. COMPANY.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by Steamship BELGIC, are hereby notified that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk in the Company's Godowns at West Point, from whence delivery can be obtained upon countersignature of Bills of Lading.

Goods remaining unclaimed after the 18th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. B. EMORY.

Agent. Hongkong, March 6, 1878.

FROM HAMBURG, AND PORTS OR CALL.

THE S. S. Hesperia, PAULSEN, Master, having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk by the Undersigned and stored in their Godowns, whence and/or from the Wharf or Boats delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be sent on to Shanghal, unless notice to the contrary is given before 5 p.m. To-day. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 12th Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. STEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, March 6, 1878. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE. THE S. S. Japan having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for counter-

signature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, March 6, 1878. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

S. B. ANADYR. NOTICE.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo per S. S. Anadyr, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their sisk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Understaned. Goods remaining unclaimed after WED-

waspay, the 18th Instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

H, DU POUEY, Honokong, March 8, 1878.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES,

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

MONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature. and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected. A. DU POUEY,

Agent. Ex "Ava."

FP (in diamond) No. 177/8 Order. ) 2 cases Hats, London. Ex " Amazone,"

3250/55, Order, 6 cases Champagne, from Marsellles. Hongkong, February 28, 1878.

# To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship "HESPERIA." PAULSEN, Master, will be despatched for the above Port Canton. on SATURDAY, the 9th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, March 7, 1878.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Sing. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

MONDAY. the 11th March, 1878, at 2 p.m., on

Board,-The British 3-masted Schooner

"RUBICON," of 204 Tons Register, or 300 Tons, or 4,800 Piculs Capacity, Built in 1856 in Bremen, and Re-coppered in 1875.

TERMS OF SALE -- One-third of the Purchase Money to be paid on fall of the hammer, and the Balance on completion of Transfer, the Vessel to be at Purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer. For further Particulars, apply to the

Anctioneers. Hongkong, March 7, 1878.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

FIGHIS S. S. Glamis Castle, having arrived from the above Ports. Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods see being landed, at their risk, into the Godowns of Mr J. Y. V. SHAW, whence

delivery may be obtained. Consignoss wishing to receive their Goods on the Wharl are at liberty to de 10.

Optional Cargo for Shanghal and Yokohams will be forwarded on, unless notice to the contrary be given before 11 a.iii. To morrow.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 14th Instant will be ambject to rent.

No Fire insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Assessons, March 7, 1879.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour:-

Quickster, American barque, Captain Barnaby. - Captain. TARTAR, German brig, Captain Kaemena. -Melchers & Co.

PALESTINE, British barque, Captain H. Scowcroft.—Tai Lee. Louisa, German 3-m. schooner, Captain Schlerloh.—Eduard Schellhass & Co. MARQUIS OF ARGYLE, British barque,

Captain W. McKeon.-Rozario & Co. NORTH STAR, American ship, Captain U. Thomson.—Order. DANUBE, British steamer, Captain

Clanchy.-Yuen Fat Hong. P. J. CARLETON, American barque, Capt. J. A. Amsburg.-P. & O. Co. TER LI, German barque, Captain T. C. Petersen. - Wm. Pustau & Co. -

FERNTOWER, British steamer, Captain

Mackie. - Chinese. GLENFALLOCH, British steamer, Captain Taylor. - Kwong Yuen & Co.

#### Charters Effected.

The following charters have been effected during the last few days :--Bills of Lading will be countersigned by in Japan to a port in the United Kingdom, Mr and Mrs Moore, Mr and Mrs Casdwell, £2.10/. per ton 20 cwt., or on the Con- Mrs Fawsett, Messrs Canny and Tranc-

> Italian barque Francisca Starace, 494, Slaney, and Mr Telge's servant. Two Ports in the Philippines to a port in the United Kingdom, or on the Continent, or to New York, private.

German barque India, 1000, Two Ports in the Philippines to a port in the United Kingdom, or on the Continent, or to New York, private. German barque Felix Mendelsohn, 928,

Two Ports in the Philippines to a port in the United Kingdom, or on the Continent, or to New York, private. American ship Annie M. Smull, 1058, to Portland, Oregon, private.

British barque Northern Star, 327, Whampoa to Tientsin and back to Hongkong, via Newchwang, 50 cents per picul, mol8 | 85 lay days.

German schooner Nicolaus, 155, Whampon to Tieutsin and back to Hongkong, via Newchwang, \$1,950 in full, 25 lay days. French barque St. Anne, 400, Newshwang to Whampoa, 29 cents per picul, 20 lay

to Swatow 80 cents per picul, 20 lay days. German barque Anna, 447, Cheloo to Swatow 28 cents per picul, 20 lay days. French barque Therese and Nelly, 886 Chefoo to Amoy 18 cents per picul, 20 lay days.

German barque Faugh Ballagh, 240, to British barque Palestine, 598, Bangkok

to Hongkong, inside the Bar 25 cents per picul, outside the Bar 20 cents per picul, 80 lay days. British steamer Benledi, Bangkok to

Hongkong, inside the Bar 201 cents per me18 picul, outside the Bar 20; cents per picul, 15 lay days. German barque Hermann, 458, Bangkok

to Hongkong, \$2,700 in full. British steamer West Stanley, Chinking to Whampos, 18 candareens per picul, 8 lay days.

British steamer Holyrood, 338, to Singapore and Penang, \$1,750 in full. German steamer Cassandra, 937, Saigon to Hongkong, 16 cents per picul.

Dutch steamer Java, 884, Salgon to Hongkong, 16 cents per picul. British steamer Zanzibar, 1,460, Salgon

to Hongkong, 15 cents per picul, 13 lay German steamer Quarta, 731, Salgon to Hongkong, 15 cents per picul, 8 lay days.

American barque Ceylon, 681, Kobe to Hongkong, \$2,500 in full, 80 lay days.

# SHIPPING.

March 6, Chinkiang, British steamer, 798, Orr, Shanghai March 8, General, -SIEMSSEN & Co.

March 6, Marco Polo, German barque, 358, H. Jager, Bangkok Jan. 10, Salt .-WIELER & Uo. March 7, Fuyew, Chinese steamer, from

March 7, Namoa, British steamer, 862,

J. E. Punchard, Foochow March 4, Amoy and Swatow 6, General. - Douglas La-PRAIR & Co. March 7, Norna, British steamer, 606, Walker, Swatow March 6, General. - Kwon

ACHEONG. March 7, Quarta, German steamer, 781, P. Haye, Saigon March 2, Rice. -Sor

March 7, Glamis Castle, British steamer, 1588, James Greig, London Jan. 19, via ports of call, Suez, and Singapore, General. -ADAMSON, BELL & Co.

DEPARTURES. Mar. 7. St. Anne, for Newshwang. Tintern Abbey, for Bangkok, Chinkiang, for Canton. . Hisronimus, for Singapore. . N. Mondelli, for Shanghai. . Trio, for Whampon. Ava, for Marseilles, &c. , Volga, for Yokohama.

Anadyr, for Shanghal. . China, for Shanghal. Albay, for Amoy. Abdul Samat, for Singapore, 7, Monoscoy, U. S. g.-b., for a craise. CLEARED.

tale, for Singapore. Mignon, for Victoria (V.I.) Annie M. Smull, for Bingapore. Broomhall, for London. Ulyasse, for Shanghai. Warrior, for Singapores Marcia, for Salgon, Fuyeto, for Shanghai. Minerva, for Manila, Rapid, for Bangkok. Morning Star, for Bangkok, Awanglung, for Coast Ports.

> PASSERGERS. ABRIVED.

Per Namoa, from Cossi Ports, Mr. Bourn, 888 Chinece, and 5 European deck. Per Glamis Cattle, from London, des. Mr and Mrs Wood, Mr and Mrs Rwan, Letters may also be forwarded to Inbia Mrs Phaston, and Mr Cookburn for Shanghai, and Mr Grob for Yokohams, and 148

Per Chinhlang, from Shaughal, 20 Chis Par Norne, from Swatow, 260 Obinese. Per Quarta, from Salgon, 28 Chinese,

PASSENGERS. DEPARTED.

Per Ava, for Salgon, Mesers Michelot, Dougal, Simon, Lion, and 2 Chinese; for Singapore, Mr Douglas and servant; for Calcutta, Mesara Harvey, and F. Flint; for Marseilles, Sir John and Lady Smale, Mesars F. Stewart, Ewst, Crawford, de Segonzao, T. Hanan, V. Fernandez, Cha Pin Shan, Shu Ld Chun, Ta Cheng and Cho Mien, Mrs Eppinger, and maid servant. -From Shanghai : for Marseilles, Rev. Mr and Mrs W. J. Boone and infant, Mr E. Mackintosh, Rev. Mr and Mrs R, Palmer, 4 children and servant, Mr and Mrs G. M. Hart, Mesars Mo Ping Chang and Chang Ya Shing, Mrs Chang and infant, Messrs E. Buchanan, F. Rennie, Tao Tsin Yu, Yol Young, Chin Shih Yune, T. H. Mitchell, and H. G. Sanders. - From Yokohama : for Saigon, Mr Harding; for Marseilles, Mrs Mouchet, 4 children and servant, Measra Groenvout and de Perpigna, Mrs Simon Mrs Jonet and 2 children, Mesars H. W. Bowers, Owen, and Jourdan.

Per Volga, for Yokohama, Mr and Mrs Walker, Messrs Rostock and Harold; from Marseilles, Mr Beatty ; from Singapore, Mr

Per Anadyr, for Shanghal, Mr and Mrs Wilson, Mesars G. Lewis, Nickels, Daniel, O. Cooper, F. Major, Gore Booth, J. B. Bromley, C. B. Blethen, Fuller, and 10 Horse Boys : from Salgon, Messrs Galle, Barrue, Gounort, Stenzell, and Aime ; from American ship Comet, 1150, Two Ports | Marseilles, Mesers Tweedle and Bunckwort, witch, Mr and Mrs Lemaire, and Mr de Per Albay, for Amoy, Dr. Johannsen, and 50 Chinese.

To DEPART. Per Marcia, for Salgon, 70 Chinese. Per Ulysses, for Shanghai, 20 Chinese. Per Fuyew, for Shanghai, 200 Chinese, Per Rapid, for Bangkok, 20 Chinese. Per Morning Star, for Bangkok, 20 Chi-

Per Kwangtung, for Coast Ports, 6 Europeans, and 250 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Chinkiang reports: Left Shanghal at 10.80 a.m. on the 3rd, arriving here at 10.45 p.m. on the 6th inst. Experienced moderate variable winds and thick rainy weather throughout.

The British steamer Namoa reports having left Foochow on the 4th, Amoy on the 5th, and Swatow on the 6th, experienced first part of voyage light variable winds with thick rainy weather, latter part German barque Fidelio, 317, Newchwang moderate dull and hazy weather. Strs. in Amoy, Pearl and Teucer. In Swatow : S. S. Radnorshire left for Amoy on the afternoon of the 4th.

The British steamer Norna reports Fresh N.E. winds and fine weather through-

The German steamer Quarta reports: Quinhon and back 21 cents per picul, 26 Fine weather and S.E. wind during the

CARGO.

Per S. S. Ava, sailed 7th March, 1878 :-

For Continent, 612 bales Silk, 121 bales Waste Silk, 22 cases Silk Piece Goods, and 1,188 pkgs. Sundries. For London, 263 bales Silk, 34 cases Sundries, and 2 cases Treasure (\$14,500.)

#### POST OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS MAILS will close:-

For BANGKOK. -Per Madagascar, at 1.80 p.m., on Friday, the 8th inst. Per Danube, at 4.80 p.m., on Friday, the

8th inst For STRAITS SETTLEMENTS .-Per Amboto, at 8.80 p.m. To-morrow, the 8th inst., instead of as previous-

ly notified. For AMOY & SHANGHAL. Per Ulysses, at 8.80 p.m., on Friday, the 6th inst.

For SHANGHAL-Per Namoa, at 3 30 p.m., on Friday, the 8th inst. For MANILA .-

Per barque Minerva, at 11 a.m., on Saturday, the 9th inst., instead of as previously notified. Per barque India, at 11 a.m., on Satur-

day, the 9th last. For SHANGHAL-Per Hesperia, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 9th inst.

For SAIGON .--Per Cassandra, at 4.80 p.m., on Saturday, the 9th inst.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PAGEET. The United States Mail Packet Belgic will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 13th instant, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, and the United States, which will be closed as follows :-

2 P.M. Registry of Letters ceases. 2,80 PM. Post-Office closes, but Letters (except for Non-Upion Countries) may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 18 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

Correspondence for Non-Union West Indies (except the Bahamas and Hayti), Costa Rica, Honduras, Monte Video, New Granada, Paraguay, and Uruguay can no longer be sent by this route. Hongkong, March 6, 1878.

MAILS BY THE ENGLISH PACKET.-

Europe, &c., on THURSDAY, the The following will be the hours of closing the Mails, &c. :-

Wednesday, 18th instant .-5 r.M., Money Order Office closes. 6 P.M., Post Office closes except the MISER Box, which remains open all night. Hongkong, March 1, 1878.

MAILS BY THE PRESON PACKET. The French Contract Packet Amaions will

be despatched from Bongkong on THURSDAY, the 21st Instant, with land, Tasmania, Fiji, Aden, Sey-chelles, Réunion, Mauritius, Sues, and Alexandria. This is the best opportunity for forwarding Correspondence to E. Africa, the Cape,

St. Helena, and Ascension. by this Packet but can be paid only Caylon must be prepaid. Such letters should be marked Paid to Galle only | they will go on from Gallo as

Hongkong, March 7, 1878.

MEMOS, FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Daylight, Kwanglung leaves for Coast 2 p.m. - Madagasoar leaves for Bangkok. 4 p.m. - Namoa leaves for Shanghal.

Notice of optional cargo per Glemis Castle to be given before 11 a.m. Transfer Books of The Chinese Insurance Co., Ld., closed from this date to 22nd

Miscellaneous.

#### General Memoranda.

March, inclusive.

SATURDAY, March 9:-Noon.—Hesperia leaves for Shanghai. Monday, March 11:-2 p.m. -Sale of Schooner Rubicon, on

TUESDAY, March 12:-Goods per Hesperia undelivered after this

date subject to rent. WEDNESDAY, March 13:-Goods per Anadyr undelivered after

8 p.m. -Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co.'s Steamer leaves for Yokohama and San Francisco on or about this date. Goods per Belgic undelivered after this date subject to rent.

THURSDAY, March 14:-Noon.—English Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. Goods per Glamis Castis undelivered after this date subject to rent. FRIDAY, March 15 :--

Noon.-Naval Contract Tenders close for the supply of Provisions. 8 p.m. - Sale of Ground Property, Marine Lot No. 206.

FRIDAY, March 22:--3 p.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of The Chinese Insurance Co., Limited, at the Head Office, Hongkong.

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THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1878.

THE departure of Mr Frederick Stewart inspector of Schools and head master the Government Central School. twelve months' leave of absence, has elicited a more hearty demonstration of feeling from this cosmopolitan community than any similar incident since the foundation of the Colony. At first | provisions of the new Ordinances as far as glance there would almost appear to have been too much made of the incident and Mr Stewart, whose unobtrusive manners and disposition are so well known, was so firmly of that opinion that the Recruiters, Importers, and all that, had he known the full extent of the Employers of labour, whether for this ovation which awaited him, he would Colony or for other countries, express undoubtedly have smuggled himself away | themselves equally pleased with the results by some private steamer. This dis. of the establishment of this office. play of public approval, however, is not without its lesson to all concerned. tables giving certain statistics in con-It shows most unmistakably that a nection with the work of the department, Ordnance Department, was charged on The English Contract Packet Lombardy, strong public sentiment exists in this From one we gather that the number of remand at the Police Court to-day with will be despatched with the Mails for small Colony, and that when the depots licensed is 21, and that they are stealing some bank notes from a seaman people of Hongkong admire, they do estimated to accommodate 1,568 boolies. it with an enthusiasm which almost Another table gives the number of Chicutstrips itself. There can be no doubt ness immigrants who arrived and were that the recent complications, which inspected at Singapore during the three appeared to threaten the existence of the months ending the 31st Dec. last. From institution with which Mr Stewart has Hongkong there came 4,186; been so closely identified, intensified the Swatow 9,561, and from Amoy 2,921 feelings which found vent in the address total, 18,668. Their destination was sen, the cups, and the embroidered purple as follows !-and fine linen, of the present occasion. Landed in Bingapore passage prepaid 7123 But, as we have over and over again pointed out, the officer referred to has Malls to and through the United for many years stood second to none in Kingdom and Eprope, vid Mar, the estimation of the community. We via, Galle, Australia, New Zea- Excellency the Governor upon the success of his happy scheme to place the education question of the Colony upon a broader and more satisfactory basis than Department. The members are now so before, by the appointment of a Commit- entered in the books that in case of a tee or Conference, in which Mr Stewart | disturbance, or if any member be wanted, took a prominent part. It is gratifying it is only necessary to call upon the to know-and we think Mr Hennessy the construction of the new Central power formerly exercised by the Secret School is at last resolved upon j that a Societies over the Obinese of the Straits medi the school has been all but made; and that the period under review. "A bolled for Europe; No less than five steems

nearly all the improvements the adoption | that the Government will not hesitate to of which Mr Stewart has urged from year deport any Chief or number of Chiefs to year are now in a fair way of being on due cause, has both decreased their carried into effect. We have written authority, and induced a considerable strongly upon this subject, but not in the care on their own part to avoid a punishleast more forcibly than public feeling ment which Chinese members of Secret and opinion justified; and it is therefore Societies dread more than any other, as only fair to say that His Excellency has it would lead to their being known to now earned the good opinion of the com- | the Mandarins as members of associamunity by following the unanimous tions which, ostensibly at least, have for wish of the lay communities over which he rules, in this matter of the Central

THE first annual report of the Protecto of Chinese at Singapore, an officer recent creation, has just been issued, and is a document of exceptional interest, It will be recollected that a considerable amount of legislation was inaugurated in the Straits during last year with respect to the Chinese. On the 14th May the "Crimping Ordinance" was brought into force : recruiters of emigrants were licensed, and depots under Government supervision for the reception of Chinese Noon, subject to rent and landing were established. The office of the Protectorate was opened on the 1st June, and on the 24th September a number of sections of the Chinese "Immigrants" Ordinance" were put into force; but two of the most important sections, namely, 4 and 6, providing for the establishment of immigrant depots have not yet been enforced, owing to the Chinese firms engaged in the importation of coolies having spontaneously applied for licenses for depote under the "Crimping Ordinance," the houses thus licensed being considered sufficiently satisfactory depots to obviate the necessity of establishing more strictly Government ones under the "Immigrants' Ordinance." One of the great objects of the legislation was to bring the newly-arrived Chinese into immediate contact with the Government and to make them feel that there is a power, superior to the headmen of their secret societies, to protect and to keep them in order. Mr Pickering, the Protector Chinese, says in the report: "I can conscientiously state that I believe this object is being satisfactorily carried out. The following is an outline of the course at present pursued towards Chinese immigrants arriving in the Settlement :-

On the arrival of a vessel with Immi- loong Dook this afternoon. grants from China, she is boarded by an officer of this Department, and hand bills are distributed amongst the passengers, to | WE understand that Sir Brooks Robertson the effect that although each Immigrant has postponed his departure for England ought to pay a reasonable amount for his passage money, no restraint or confinement will be allowed, and that in case of any grievance, the sufferer should report it to the boarding-officer, and that the Government will protect him against any oppres-

On arriving at a Depot on shore, the Immigrants are visited by the Protector, or Assistant Protector, and enquiries are made, as to whether any of the new arrivals have relations or friends in Singapore, expecting them; if so, the names of the relations or friends are taken down, and every exertion is made to find them.

On engagements for labour being made, or in the event of their passage mone being paid by their relations or friends, the Immigrants are brought before Protectors at this office, and informed that there is no necessity to join any Secret Society for the sake of protection, but that the Government is ready at all times to listen to them, and to protect them in any lawful employment.

Each labourer and employer receives copy of Contract numbered according to the Registration Books kept in the office the terms of the Contract are explained to the Immigrant and he is told that while the employer will not be allowed to defraud or ill-treat him in any way, he himself wil be punished according to law for any

breaches of the engagement. In the cases of Chinese engaging to labour at places outside the Colony, lists containing the names of the Coolies, in English and Chinese, the terms of the contract, advances, &c., are sent authorities of the State to which they are going; in the emigration to the Dutch Settlements, we receive every assistance from the Consul General for the Nether. lands, who forwards the lists to the Residents of the different States.

I may also mention that their Highnesses the Maharajah of Johore, and the Rajah of Sarawak, have expressed their desire to assist in the carrying out of the their countries are concerned. The Immigrants after a week's residence

in Singapore, are quite ready to appreciate

and take advantage of the new state of

things, and I am glad to be able to add Appended to the report are several

placed in Depots 2685 Proceeded to Penang Malacca

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The registration of the dangerous societies has also been handed over to the proper headman to secure his attendance.

their object the overthrow of the reigning dynasty of China." At the present moment, Mr Pickering adds, the societies, though still powerful for mischief, are in a state of transition, and it rests with the Government to decide whether, under the circumstances, the time has not arrived to take such means as will deprive these organisations of theirhitherto quasi-political status. The following table gives the names of the societies, with the number of registered

subscribers :-Ghee Hin (Hokkien) Ghee Hin (Tay Chew) ... Ghee Hin (Hailam) Ghee Hok Ghee Sin Ghee Khee Kong Hok ... Hok Hin Hong Hooy Sew Song Peh Kwan

> Total... 12,871 \* Registration uncompleted.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. [SUPPLIED TO THE "CHIMA MAIL,"] (By Southern Route.)

> THE WAR. London, 5th March, 1878,

In the House of Commons the Secretary State for the War Department (Mr Gathorne Hardy), in presenting the Army Estimates for the year, said that the condition of the Army was excellent; the number was 110,000 men, with auxiliarles to the amount of 400,000.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE S. S. Douglas came over from Kow-

until next English Mail.

THE Flora MacDonald will not go to Singspore, as we announced yesterday, having been sold here. She is now intended to be used as a tow boat in the Tientain river.

WE learn from the agents (Messes Jardine. Matheson & Co.) that the steamer Gienfinias left Singapore for this port at noon yesterday (6th.)

No official announcement has as yet been made regarding the appointments rendered necessary by the departure of the Chief Justice, and Mr Stewart. We can only give the probable changes :- Mr Justice Snowden, acting chief justice; Mr James Russell, acting pulsue judge; Mr C. V. Creagh, acting police magistrate; Dr Eitel. acting inspector of schools; Mr Falconer, acting head master of Central School; and Mr W. M. B. Arthur, acting second master. If our officials are as active as they are "acting," so much the better for the

A SALE of racing ponies and backs took place this evening, opposite the City Hall, when no less than twenty-six ponies, besides six Australian "bloods," were brought to the hammer. The highest price obtained was \$175, for Exquisite, Mr Coxon being the purchaser. The Prince fetched \$180, Whipcord, Spure, and Bravo each \$100, Allendale \$145, Spray \$115, Sabreur \$80, Martingale \$75, Hanton \$60, Twinkle \$50, and Waverly. \$82. Most of the other ponies were either bought in or sold at very insignificant figures, Cockroach tetching only \$10. Of the Australians, Driver was knocked down for \$180, The Babe \$105, Scot's Grey \$55, and Warlock (the innocent winner of the Victoria Plate) \$7.

Lo Afuh, a blacksmith employed by the

named Johnson, belonging to H. M. S. Curlew. This case has assumed rather an important aspect, as the prisoner said the notes found upon him were those he received as pay from the Commissariat and he appears to be a man of good character. although occupying a humble position. The notes paid to the men of H. M. S. Curiew, and those paid to the coolies at the Ordnance Store Department, were nearly all new notes, and the numbers were within one hundred of each other. Mr May, with his usual fairness, has not jumped at any hesty conclusion, but has committed the prisoner for trial, so that he may have the benefit of a trial by Jury. We should think the Bank could supply soms information on such a subject.

as far as Ceylon. The postage to will fully share the gratifications—that Mr Pickering has no doubt that the A PERFECT evation was given to Mr E. Stewart this forencon, on the occasion of material addition to the teaching staff of Southements has consider decreased during his departure by the Franch Mail steamer

merchants, present and former pupils, and others, had been chartered for the occasion and were lying in readiness at Peddar's Wharf; and as the launches steamed off, shortly after 10 o'clock, amid the din of luck-laden crackers, over a thousand natives and many Europeans were assembled en or near the wharf to say "Good-bye" or to see the departure. A running fire of crackers was kept up on board the launches all the way until the French Mail steamer was reached, and the tiny steamers stood by until the big steamer was fairly out of the Harbour. Round after round of crackers were let off while the Ava-steamed off; the din thus caused the last "chin-china" were said or signalled to the man whom the community has been delighted to honour for the last few days, or rather for the past sixteen years. old and respectable Chinese gentleman was heard to say that he had never seen such a demonstration in the Colony before. -

Sir John Smale, our worthy Chief Justice, left by the same steamer, and a large number of his friends went off to bid him farewell, including all the officers of the Court, most of the gentlemen of the long robe, Bishop Burdon, and a number of Parses gentlemen.

Speaking of "great" men, we may add that the Giant Chang also proceeded by the present mail steamer, en routs for the Paris Exhibition, for the "show" department. Several Chinese exhibitors also took passage for Paris, to display their wares at the World's Fair to be held at the French

THE following notices, dated the 28th February, to Mariners, have been issued by order of the Inspector General of Cus-

Yangtre River Shanghai District.

REPLACING THE TUNGSHA LIGHT-VESSEL -With reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 79, of the 14th December, 1877, on the temporary withdrawal of the Tungsha Lightvessel;-Notice is hereny given that the Tungsha has again been placed in her station, and the temporary Light-vesse. withdrawn.

KIUTOAN LIGHT-VEHSEL .- The Kiutoan Light-vessel will not be ready for her station till about the 1st April next.

Hangs & Co.'s Weekly Shipping Report, Pagoda Anchorage, 2nd March, 1878:-

Arrivals During the Week. - Feb. 24. China, from Kobe; 25, Emma, from Amoy; 25, Kwangtung, from Hongkong; Mar. 1, | 3 of the Schedule :--Europe, from Shanghai ; 1, Oscar Mooyer, from Newport v. Amoy.

Departures During the Week. - Feb. 28, Perim, for Yokohama; 25, Supreme, for "Shanghai; 26, Moorhen, for Tamsui; 26, B. Aymar, for Shanghai; 26, Haeting, for Shanghai ; 27, Titania, for Shanghai ; 27, Kwangtung, for Hongkong.

Shipping in Port.-Ling Feng, China. Emms, Europe, Oscar Mooyer.

THE following notice of one of Dave Carson's entertainments is from the Strasts Times: - Originality and vivacity are still the order of the evening at Dave Carson's entertainments. Last evening the programme was as varied as it usually is, and not a single joke of the preceding evenings was indulged in. The songs were sung with the same taste as before, and the comic ones were as equally amusing, while "Bones" was particularly happy, not only on local subjects, but in an expression of Ethiopian feeling on the European crisis, a decidedly expressed conviction for a fighting policy, finding vent from the illustrious Dave, being received with acclamation. Mr J. E. Arnold sang one of those national ballads, always well received, "The sea is England's glory" with much warmth and emphasis, which was hailed with great applause. Little Etta danced a Lancashire Government have subscribed \$600 clog dance, and Mrs. Carson sang very sweetly an operatio selection. Mr J. B. by the members of the Chamber and others Ferrell gave something like "Jones's mucical party," very cleverly, his caricatures being accepted portraits of the gushing young lady who when asked to sing, slways | blishment at Hongkong. tries hackneyed excuses, and the old man, who "never sang a song in his life," but would try upon persuasion. The " Variety" part concluded with Dave Carson's now tion of what such a character would be terest at 5 per cent. per annum. likely to be, rendered with a degree of spirit, humour and mimiory, which distinguish the interpretations of character of a first-class low comedy actor. Offenbach's comic opera of "Breaking the Spell," and Mr Geo. Norville, concluded pains are being taken to make Saturday's performance prominently amusing, and, udging from the programme and the varied

THE HONGKONG GENERAL UHAM. BER OF COMMERCE.

A Meeting of the members of the Hongkong Chamber of Commerce took place at 4 p.m. this afternoon, (the 7th) at the City R. Belillos, T. G. Linstead, Framjee Arjanee, F. Degenaer, Pustau, Senr., Thos. Jackson, H. J. D. Sassoon, H. L. Daleymple Deacon, C. Kahn, T. G. Willi Lind, H. N. Mody, W. K. Nid E. George (Secretary).

The SECRETARY having rej ponvening the meeting, the

launches, bearing large numbers of Chinese I for the past year was laid before the mem-

The Committee beg to place before the Members of the Chamber, the following Report of their proceedings for the year ending 31st December, 1877.

The Currency. The Managers of the Local Banks have addressed a Memorial to the Government on the subject of supplying to Hongkong and other Colonies where Dollars are the standard currency a coin of British manufacture of well ascertained purity, and the Committee supported the Memorial by a representation to the Government, pointing out the importance of the subject and requesting the immediate attention of Her Majesty's Government thereto. So far no reply has been received from the Government, but the Committee have every reason to believe that the matter is receiving careful attention.

The Chamber has been furnished with copy of a Memorial presented to the Government from the Chinese Community trading in Hongkong praying the Government to legalize the payment of all Dollars, whether new or old, by weight, and the views of this Chamber were invited by His Excellency. The Governor. Accordingly a general meeting of the Chamber was held in May to discuss the subject, and, after considerable debate, it was resolved to advocate the Government making chopped Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7 a legal tender in this Colony. Such Dollars to be whole and not clipped or pierced. Another resolution was also passed to the effect that until the question of the coinage of a British Dollar is fully considered by Her Majesty's Government, it is desirable to constitute the American Trade Dollar weighed at 7.1.7 a legal tender in the Colony, as is done in the Straits, Foochow, Amoy, and Canton, but that this Dollar should only be received as currency when

unchopped Proposed Permanent treaty between Great Britain and Austria Hungary .- The Chamber has been invited by the Colonial Government to express its opinion on this proposed Treaty, but the Committee di not see that it would affect the interests of

this Colony, Hongkong being a free port. The International Telegraph Convention .-The Government having asked an expresaion of opinion from the Chamber as to the desirability of joining the Convention, the Committee have pointed out that it would be to the advantage of the Community if the Government would join.

The new Word Tariff of the Great Northern Telegraph Company. - The Committee deemed it their duty to remonstrate with the Superintendent of the Company against the increase in the word rate upon local messages between this and Japan, and their re-

monatrance has been sent home. The Stamp Ordinance.-His Excellency the Governor having asked for an expression of opinion upon the general working of this Ordinance with special reference to certain objections made by the Chinese on the occasion of opening a branch in Bonham Strand, the Committee met a deputation of Chinese merchants, and, after considerable discussion, thought proper to recommend the following modification of Section

On all same up to \$100, .....\$0.10 exceeding \$100 and not exceeding \$500, ..... 0.20 exceeding \$500 and not exceeding

Rate of exchange for payment of freight. The Committee having been called upon to express an opinion on this subject, it was decided that freight should be paid at the rate of exchange of the day of a vessel's

Payment for a cargo of coal.—They have also unanimously decided that the seller can enforce payment for such cargo, day by day, as delivered, if he chooses to do so. Commission for doing ship's business .- The following has been added to the Schedule

of Commission :- For doing ship's business when no inward or outward Commission is earned, 20 cents per registered ton. Registration of partners in Chinese firms or hongs. - The Committee have represented to His Excellency The Governor the importance of having some system of register-

ing partners in Chinese Hongs, and are promised his attention to the matter. Reuter's Telegrams -- Arrangements have been made for a daily service of Political Telegrams, towards the cost of which the quarter, the balance of \$650 being defrayed Members .- During the past | ear, the Comptoir d'Escompte have withdrawn from

Funds .- The Secretary's Account Current for the year ending 31st December, 1877, has been audited by Mesars Kerr and Hassell, and is annexed hereto. There is famous "Bengalee Baboo," another portrait no material change to report, except an of the ingenious dusky hybrid being shown Incresse of income, derived from the Polito the glass last evening. Those who know tical Telegrams, of \$550.98. A credit India well recognise in the "Baboo" of | balance of \$1,254.18 is carried forward for Dave an old and familiar friend, those not the current year, and the balance of equally fortunate appreciate an impersons- 85,899,17 remains on deposit, bearing in-

the Chamber, baving given up their esta-

The CHAIRMAN, in moving the adoption of the report, said they would observe that | brought to the notice of the Government. the Chamber had had several important As he had said before, the Stamp Act should matters before it during the past year. most important one was the currency question. While at home he had the good an excellent evening's entertainment. Great fortune to meet with Major Kinder who was the Master of the Mint here, and who afterwards proceeded to Japan and carried on the Mint there. He happened to be aware of abilities already displayed by the troups, what was going on in this Colony in regard to the currency question and of the request made to the British Government to coin a British dollar. He had made enquiries on the matter at the Royal Mint, and the opinion he gave him (Mr Ryrie) based on what he heard there and in other quarters, connected with the Government, was that they (the Hongkong community) had no chance of getting a British dollar coined in England; the plant and appliances of the Royal Mint were not suitable for it, and they had as much work Hall. There were present :- The Hon. P. as they could do there at present. Major wher's opinion, gathered from various per-

an interview, was that their only chance cetting a British dollar in this part of world was by coining it out here. On s subject he had written to him (Mi rie) a letter; come extracts from which would read :--

The establishment of a Mint would necesever a small Mini could never be profitably aware of the communication which

requires the check of some others.

sidered that sufficient subsidiary silver had | MacDonnell against the wishes of the Merbeen struck, but by the last returns it will chants. He remembered when about a week News from Corea.—It was very cold in be seen that the demand for these Japanese | before it was closed, the banks had under-

source of profit; as coins spread their utility becomes more and more widely established. Had the Hongkong Mint continued its operations instead of throwing up the sponge before it had a trial, it would have been speedily paid for

If the Colonies referred to seriously contemplate the establishment of a joint mint the course appears to be that they show their readiness to provide the means and have their wishes well endorsed by the respective Governors, shewing what the prospects might be and supporting their views by as much evidence as possible. These matters arranged I think the Imperial Government would offer no obstacle to the re-opening of the Mint, for not only are the circumstances greatly changed since the last trial was so unfortunately checked, but the coinage and currency question now calls for a solution in China which can only be satisfactorily met by some decided action on the part of the

British Government." Mr Ryrre, continuing, said the letter was dated 25th June last year. The Colony was now, he contended, in a better position for carrying on a Mint than it was when the old one was in existence, not only in regard to finances but in other respects. He would propose at a later period of the meeting a resolution to the effect that the Chamber was of opinion that a Mint for Hongkong was desirable, and requesting the Government to do what is in its power to give effect to the proposal. In regard to the Stamp Ordinthe time had now come for a thorough revision of it. The accounts of the Chamber showed they were going on satisfactorily and that their income was gradually increasing. He moved the adoption of the re-

port and the passing of the accounts. suggested that the appendices to which re-\$1,000,..... 0.50 ference was made in the report should be printed and sent round with that document, 

days before the meeting. The CHAIRMAN said it was only a question

Mr DEACON suggested in regard to the Stamp Ordinance" that a receipt stamp only should be used on bills on demand, as

was done at Home. The report and accounts were then carried unanimously.

THE COMMITTEE.

The following gentlemen were elected on

the Committee for the ensuing year-Messra Keswick, Kahn, Belilios, Hoppius, Mendel, Jackson, Ryrie, Nelson, and Dalrymple. CHAIRMAN AND VICE-CHAIRMAN.

Mr Ryrie was unanimously elected Chairman for the ensuing year, and Mr Dalrymple

Vice-Chairman. The Hon. P. Ryrie then proposed the confirmation of Mr E. George as Secretary to the Chamber of Commerce, in the place of Dr Dennys. Mr Kahn seconded, and the motion was

unanimously carried. The Chairman then announced that the formal business of the meeting had closed, and that he would bring forward his resolution about the Mint.

Mr Deacon begged leave to put in his resolution on the subject of the stamp duty on bills or cheques drawn out of the Colony. It was as follows :-- "Proposed that the Chamber recommend to the Colonial Government that demand drafts and cheques payable to bearer or order drawn out of the Colony be subject only to a stamp of two cents, being the equivalent of the penny stamp used in England,"

Mr Jackson, in seconding the proposition, said the present rate of stamp duty bore hard on people who drew money on Hongkong from outside ports, for instance Canton and other places.

The Hon. P. Ryrie observed that he fully agreed with the proposition, which would be was more than contemplated. The Act was passed to meet the military contribution, and more than enough for it had been collected, The proposition was then unanimously

The Oreignan then brought forward his resolution regarding the Mint. He had read the portion of a letter he received from Major. Kinder on the subject, who gave him also some figures, but as they were somewhat puzzling, the speaker would leave them over for the present. He was however, convinced that the undertaking would be a shooess. He then moved the following resolution:-"That as it is most desirable that a coin

of British manufacture of well-ascertained purity should be substituted for the present this Chamber that the best mode of obtaining this Colony for the comage of dollars and subsidiary coinage. It is further the ment of the Imperial Mint at Osaka, opinion of this Chamber that such a mint would eventually prove a successful undertaking, repaying the Colony for the cost of its erection and maintenance.

Mr Jackson seconded. Mr G; Sharp rose and said that there arily be a coatly affair, for it is not desir- was one little point he would allude to. It was probable that when this Report tiseless when any pressure came on it; more- was drawn up, the Committee were not brains sorely over the problem, and we

an accountant of standing and responsibility; who, he observed, was a very reliable that as time goes on a small but increasing a reliable melter, coiner, engineer, die en- authority and who was very sanguine amount of spurious coins will find their graver, &c. These must be the best of of success. The speaker remembered dis- way into circulation. Not long ago we saw their class and paid accordingly. Minting is | tinetly that Major Kinder told him that a coin, purporting to be a 50 sen piece, America, a report of which we summarised not merely making clumps; the outturn the Hongkong Mint was far more ex- which was really a sufficiently good imita- in our issue of yesterday, must be highly must be well-made reliable money, requiring pensively conducted than it need be, and the highest guarantees for its truthfulness. that it could be supported by the profits circumstances without question by any one Company at whose instigation it was effected Inferior men would only damage the repu- from the subsidiary coinage alone. The tation of the coinage; therefore with fixed subsidiary coins were very much wanted in he receives, though its leaden look and feel, part of the world. "A country which possesses expenses it is desirable to obtain the greatest the Colony, and he, the speaker, had on one together with the inefficient relief of the many resources likely to be availed of, an amount of paying outturn. You cannot occasion applied to the Hongkong and engraving, made its badness at once appeared excellent climate, and a population who have half an assayer or any other official, Shanghai Bank for a supply. He begged parent on being handled. We have now would seem to be friendly to the proposed and a jack of all trades in minting would and prayed for \$200 worth, but all he could before us an imitation 20 sen piece, against opening up to trade of their productive dis-

In five years these pieces | taken to have one Million dollars struck, | registered between 19 and 30 degrees.

favour of a Mint in Hongkong alone. The motion was ununimously carried.

Mr Linstead proposed a vote of thanks the Chairman. Carried by acclamation. This closed the business of the meeting.

> Police Intelligence. (Both Magietrates sitting.) March 7, 1878.

DRUNK AND ASSAULTING THE POLICE T. Torgersen and Anton Suenson, seamen, were fined \$5 each for assaulting the Police and general disorderly conduct, or in default 21 days' hard labour. The second defendant was further ordered to pay half a dollar as amends for damage done in a brothel.

Li Apo, a stone-outter, was sent to 14 days' hard labour for stealing two poles at Circular Buildings.

Lai Awing, seaman unemployed, was sent to 3 months' hard labour for stealing a pillow-box and sundry articles of clothing the property of his friend and partner. said, in defence, that his friend knew he had Mr LINSTEAD seconded the motion, and taken the articles in question and gave him permission to do so.

Chan Asam, a stone-cutter, was sent to 7 days' hard labour and further fined \$50 for carrying away Government stone.

China.

FOODHOW. (Herald, Feb. 28th.)

charge of the Customs Superintendency.

transit to Formosa.

calling at Pagoda Anchorage. prove a valuable addition to our means of good harbours in the whole of Borneo, being

communication with Hongkong. dry death."

The Agent of the China and Japan Trading Company informs us that a telegram has been received from Batavia stating that the Midnight, which left New York on the 26th July last, had put into Amboyna in leaky and damaged condition. Amboyna is a small island south of Ogram and the Pitt Passage. The cargo is transhipped to brings it on to Yokohama.

Half of a battalion of soldiers was despatched from Tokio to the Loochoo Islands on the 17th ultimo in order to form a garrison for their protection. Counterfeit Coins,-Since the establish-

spurious Japanese coins have been rarities, owing, we are inclined to believe, to the inability of the ordinary Japanese to obtain any appliances whereby they could hope to fabricate an imitation which should sufficiently good to pass muster. There can be no doubt, however, that a occasionally seen mute or less successing

worked, there must be an assayer of repute, | Chairman had received from Major Kinder, | efforts at Imitation, and it stands to reason | we are promised more detailed information tion to have been taken under many satisfactory not only to the enterprising who does not habitually examine every coin but to European merchants generally in this be useless, as the work of every person obtain, and as a matter of great favour, was which people should be on their guard in tricts, will form a fertile ground for the only \$100 worth, for the issue of which the taking change by an imperfect light. It is development of commerce and must add The Mint I should recommend would cost sanction of the Government had also to be (nothing but a half sen piece plated with something, probably handsome, to the prosay about £50,000, and such a Mint erected obtained. Well, in one month, this \$100 some composition into which silver sp. duots of this region of the world. Much, of at Singapore or Hongkong at the joint cost | worth of small coins were all gone, and he parently enters, and having the central course will depend upon the manner in which of the Colonies would probably be a great never saw any more of them. What be- figure on one side which represents "half" the successful Company, who are now the success, for the following reasons. A dollar came of them he did not know; probably so altered that on a hurried glance it re- owners of a large tract of a hitherto unknown struck under the British Government would the Chinese had made them into buttons. sembles the Japanese figures for "twenty." country, will carry out their programme; in time displace all others except as bullion, Now he believed there was a depreciation in No attempt, beyond the plating, appears much upon the discretion of their servants and whilst this was being gradually effected the touch of the subsidiary coins as much as to have been made to alter the other side on the spot; and much also upon how far the to such a point as to enable British coins. 25 per cent., and this would be an enormous of the coin, but an imitation of a milled alone to be a legal tender, the expense would profit, and if this profit were to be given to edge has been produced by hand. This be met, and in all probability a large profit | the proposed Mint; it would be enough | particular coin was innocently taken by a made by subsidiary coins. With reference to support it. He then spoke about the Japanese, and it is not improbable that a happy result which attended the first and to this point, when I left Japan, it was con- former Minthaving been closed by Sir Richard | good many more similar to it have been disposed of to the unwary .- Hiogo News.

have been struck on the average value of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank alone About one hundred houses have been built taken as an augury of success in the future, \$2,000,000 per annum, giving a handsome taking \$300,000, and the rest divided among in our settlement, and Japanese residents we can look forward with confidence to a yearly profit of some \$250,000. The de- the other banks. This would have given of both sexes number about eight hundred. peaceful and prosperous trade with a country these coins circulate freely out of Japan to the Governor was determined to close it, and was opened in a temple of Honganji re- ment. It is gratifying that English enterthe great benefit and profit of the Japanese. hedid so in dismetrical opposition to the populous town of Torai, prise has effected so much, and, in a patriotic Bronze coins too would form a large lar wish. The speaker then alluded to the which lies about three ri from the settle- manner, highly pleasing that the English wretched system we had here of the chopped ment, is repeatedly visited by tigers. So flag has been so readily accepted as a peace dollar, and was confident that the present every house is shut up early in the evening, harbinger in what is likely to be, snon, Governor, a shrewd man as he was, would after which no people venture into the flourishing country. lend his support to the undertaking, which streets. A beast, called toppi by the would be a popular undertaking to the Coreans, and bearing a close resemblance entire community of Hongkong (applause). to the cat in form, attacks the tiger, which The Hon. P. Ryrie called attention to seems to be much afraid of it. So the Major Kinder's suggestion of a joint Mint | Coreans put on a cap made of the fur of with Singapore. The speaker wrote to the tonpi whenever they go to the mounhim that a joint Mint would not be practica- tains. Very few natives below the middle ble, and he replied that he only threw it out | class sleep in a bed. Most of them sleep as a suggestion, and that he himself was in on a sheet of Corean paper and have fires beside them to protect them from the cold. Wild ducks are very cheap, and we can buy a crane for one or one and a half yen. Articles for import trade consist mostly of muslin, silk, dye, tin, copper, and miscellaneous goods. The natives bring us in exchange various articles of gold and other valuable handiwork. No tax is paid for trading. - Correspondence of Sakigake Shinbun.

> PROPOSED OPENING UP OF BORNEO TO TRADE.

(Straits Times.) The British steamer America, under

charter arranged in London, which left this on 12th December last, for a cruise amongst the Islands of the Eastern Archipelago, has just returned from Labuan, and the East Coast of Borneo. She reached the former island on 16th December, and after a short stay there of a few days, proceeded to English Sovereigns, Brunei, the capital of the kingdom He Borneo, where the Chief of the Expedition, Baron de Overbeck, entered into negotiations with the Sultan for the cession of a large tract of territory in the northern part of the Li Amung, and Wong Aki, chair-coolie island, part of which had formerly been ceded to the American Trading Company of Borneo. After protracted negotiations, the efforts of the Baron, we understand, were crowned with complete success, and the powerful British Company (located in London we believe) which he represents, are now the owners of the entire northern portion of Borneo from the Kimanis River northwards and comprising amongst others the magnifical Houskong Hotel Co., \$55 cent harbour of Gaya Bay, as well as Ambong | China Sugar Refining Co., \$11 prem. in Maludu Bay. From Brunei, after touch- | Chinese (imperia) Guan, £104.10/. H. B. M.'s Gunboat Moorhen left Pagoda | ing at various places of the newly-acquired Anchorage for Tamsui on the 26th instant. | territory, the America sailed for the island The Tartar General is expected from the of Sulu, H. M. S. Hart, Captain Evans. north daily, and will we understand resume | R.N., bearing the flag of Bis Excellency the | Taken at Mesers Falconer & Co.'s Franciscs Governor of Labuan, having previously We hear that a very considerable propor- sailed for the same destination. Both tion of the Woosung Railway plant is now | vessels anchored at the port of Meimbong on lying at the Mamoi Arsenal, awaiting the southern side of the island in the Sultan's Territory, the old capital of Sulu We hear that the Customs Cruiser Ling on the northern side, now called Banuwa, Feng returned to port yesterday from out- being at present in the possession of the side, after baving completed a survey of the Spaniards. At Meimbong, Baron Overbeck rock on which the B. Aymar lately struck. again opened negotiations with the Sultan of The little river passenger steamer Taiwan Sulu for the cession of his rights and is now, we hear, in dock at Pagoda Anchor- possessions on the east coast of the island of age-having a new boiler fitted in. This Borneo, and here was equally as successful boiler was manufactured in England and as at Brunei, the treaty being signed with arrived a short time ago. The Taiwan will, the sanction and in the presence of Her Briwe are informed, continue as heretofore to tannic Majesty's Governor of Labuan and run daily between Foochew and Quangtow, Consul General for Borneo. These two cessions by the Sultans of Brunei and Sulu Mesars Douglas Lapraik & Co.'s new place the Company which Baron de Overbeck steam-ship Kwang Tung arrived in port on represents in possession of the whole North the 25th instant. This is her first trip since of Borneo from Kimanis on the N. W. Coast her arrival from England, and we believe to the Sibuco River on the East Coast. a she will run regularly on the coast line and | magnificent country, possessing the only

endowed with a most salubrious climate free We understand that the local mandarins from the visitation of typhoons, and forming have been praying for fine weather; and that in a mineral and agricultural point of view a proclamation forbidding the consumption | the richest portion of this great and fine of fish, flesh, or fowl has been extensively island. It should be mentioned that before July posted in the city and suburbs. Should the leaving Brunei, the Sultan conferred upon supplications of these worthy men be reward- the Baron and his successors, the title and Aug. by even a brief period of sunshine there rank of Maharajah of Sabah (which is the 14, Regulus, will surely be come reason to rejoice. At Malay name for the whole of North Borneo), present we are tempted to repeat in the and the Sultan of Sulu the title and rank of words of England's greatest bard,—"The Datu Bandara (being the highest title next 23, Victoria (s From Sulu the America proceeded to Sandakan, where a grand meeting of all native chiefs and people was held, at which 19, Ospar, the proclamation of the Sultan of Sulu, an- 25, Benedicta, nouncing the cession of the Territory, was 30, Lodore, read, and thereupon the Bulu flag was Nov. hauled down and that of the new British Company hoisted in its stead. The Baron at the same time appointed as Resident of the Company for Sandakan and the East Coast in general, Mr W. B. Pryer, who had likewise been appointed by Her Britannio Majesty's Representative British Vice-Consul the American barque Obed Bacter, which for the same district. Subsequently, Baron Overback organised an Expedition in his steam launch "Enterprise" up the great Kinabatangan River, by far the finest water highway, into the interior of the northern part of the Island, They proceeded about 239 miles up the river from its mouth, far beyond the point ever before reached by Europeans, and at the point where from want of fuel they were obliged to turn back the river was still about 60 to 70 yards wide and showed a depth of seven fathoms. The country, so far as the Expedition went, is 11, Prins Friedrich Carl (s.), Loudon described as showing the finest soil on both

produce. But on this and other subjects of

The successful issue to the voyage of the prejudices of the natives may not lead them to look upon the pioneers to come as intruders upon their rights and privileges. If the most difficult task of the enterprising Company, namely the friendly impression upon the natives which appears to have been Fusan in January, and the thermometer created at the outset, and the eminently; successful issue of their mission may be mand continues and the only solution is that | enough work to the Mint for six months, but | A school for learning the Corean language | hitherto distracted by piracy and bad govern

> Quotations. Honekone, March 7, 1878. OPIUM, -- New Patna, cash ... \$580 a 5821 Old Patne, cash, ... None

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# Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloong shore k., and those in the body of the Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

1. From Green Island to the Gas Works. 5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Whart. 2. From Gas Works to the Novelty Iron Works. 6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard. 3. From Novelty Iron Works to the Harbour Master's Office. 7. From Naval Yard to the Pier.

4. From Harbour Ma			I O. Co.			Date o		3. From Pier to East Point.		
	48080	Captain.	Rig.		Tons.	Arrivo	F- 1	Consignees or Agents,	Destination.	Remarks.
Albay	5 h B	Ashton	Brit.	ste.	366	Jan.	27	Douglas Lapraik & Co.		To-day
Amboto	5 d B	Ioreau	Fch.	str.	2440	Mar.	6	Messageries Maritimes  O. & O. S. S. Co.	S'apore and Penang Shanghai Y'hama & S. F'cisco	To-day
Bombay	2 h (	dreen	Brit.	str.	749	Feb.	12	Kwok Acheong Kwok Acheong		laid up
Cassandra Cyphrenes	5 c [	anger	Ger.	str.	937 1286	Mar. Mar.	16	Wm. Pustau & Co. Gibb, Livingston & Co.	material series	9th Inst.
Dale Danube	2 h 1 2 h 0	hompson	Brit.	str.	654 561	Mar. Feb.	28	Yuen Fat Hong Yuen Fat Hong	Hollow & Halphong Bangkok	To-morrow
Douglas Ferntower Fuyew	2 b	Mackie	Brit.	str. str. str.	700		28	Douglas Lapraik & Co. Chinese C. M. S. N. Co.	Coast Ports Shanghai	of Marilana
Glenfalloch Hailoong	3 c 7	laylor Abbott	Brit.	str. str.	1380	Mar.	17	Kwong Yuen & Co. Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Tamani, &c.	at daylight K'loon Dook
Hakan Adalaten Hesperia	4 ol	Bergh Paulsen	Ger.	ätr. ätr.	905 1160	Mar. Mar.	6	Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Siemssen & Co.	Shanghai	Carrier St. Mary Co. C.
Japan Java	4 0	Weber	Dut.	atr. str.	1865	Mar. Mar.	6	David Sassoon, Sons & Co. Wm. Pustau & Co.	S'pore, Calcutta, &c. Salgon	
Keinchow Kwangtung Madagascar	5 b	Punchard	Brit.	str. str. str.	674	Mar. Mar.	2	Kwok Acheong Douglas Lapraik & Co. Siemssen & Co.	Coast Ports Bangkok	at daylight
Malabar Marcia	5.c (	Jould	Brit.	str.	1270	Mar. Mar.	3	Jardine, Matheson & Co. Siemssen & Co.	Salgon Salgon	To-morrow To-day
Namoa Norna	2 h	Walker	Brit.	str.	606	Mar. Mar.	7	Douglas Lapraik & Co. Kwok Acheong	Shanghai Swatow	To-morrow
PanayQuarta	2 0	Наус	Ger.	str. str.	731	Oct. Mar.	7	Remedies & Co. Soy Sing	Salgon	Sanda' Slip
Sea Gull Ulysses Venice	5 o	************	Brit.	str. str. str.	1560	Sept. Mar. Mar.	- 5	Insurance Company Butterfield & Swire Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Amoy & Shanghai	To-morrow
Volga Washi	5 0	Rolland	Fch.	str. str.	1023	Mar.	5	Messageries Maritimes Landstein & Co.	S'pore, Calcutta, &c. Yokohama Haiphong	To-day K'loon Dock
Yottung	3 P	Goggin	Brit.	str.	289			Kwok Acheong	Haiphong	enter de la companya
Alden Besse	4 0	Whitmore	Amer.	sb.	1100	Jan,	28	Rozario & Co. Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	Portland (Oregon) London	
Alphington	2 0	Barbayron	Fch. b	qe.	891	1 - '	14	Carlowitz & Co.	Melbourne & Sydney	
Annie Lorway Annie M. Smull Antelope	20	Packer	Amer.	ge. sh. sh.		Jan. Dec. Feb.	· 4	Borneo Company, Limited Vogel, Hagedorn & Co. Captain	Portland (Oregon)	
Antipodes	4 h	Wyeth	Brit.	oge.	592 928	Jan. Feb.	16	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co. Siemssen & Co.	Hamburg	Ab'deen Dook
B. F. Watson Broomhall	3 c	Elawkins Bate	Amer. t Brit.	ab.	993 1379	Nov. Oct.	25 26	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co. Meyer & Co.	San Francisco London	Cleared
Carl Ritter Cashmere	7 b	Lausen Kendrick	Ger. 1	sh.	596 936	Jan. Feb.	28	Siemssen & Co. Russell & Co.	William Control	
Ceylon Chandos Charger	5 k	Emery	Amer.	sh.	1506	Mar.	. 6	Ohinese Naval Storekesper Russell & Co.	Kobs	
Charron Wattana City of Halifax	2 0	Ulrich	Siam.	вh.	656	Feb.	4	Chinese Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	San Francisco Portland (Oregon)	
Comet	8 0	Norris	Amer.	sh,	1158 150	Feb.	17	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co. Insurance Co.	Yokohame	
Corona Edward P. Bouverie	1 0	Spence Evans	Brit. Brit.	sh.	1199 941	Feb.	18	Meyer & Co. Russell & Co.	San Francisco	
Elcano Empire	7 0	Leckie	Amer.	sh.	1180	Feb.	21	P. & O. S. N. Co. Messageries Maritimes		P. & O. Wharf
Eudoxie Adolphine Falcon Fanny		Barry	Brit.	bg. bge. bge,	798	Dec.	23	Carlowits & Co. Meyer & Co. Carlowitz & Co.	Callao London	Wanobai Pier
Felix Mendelssohn Freeman Clark	4 0	Barber	.Ger. 1	bge.	921	Feb.	8	Melchers & Co. Battles & Co.	Melbourne & Sydne	Cos'tap Dook
Friederich	8 c	Wulff Schulkin	Ger.	bge.	594 924	Feb.	28 12	Order Melchers & Co.		
Globe	4.1	Thompson	Amer.		1576	Aug.	19	Meyer & Co. Russell & Co.	********* *********	Wanchai Pies
Hark Away Hei Oheong	4 0	Petta	Brit.	bgė.	773	Feb.	12	Siemssen & Co. Russell & Co. Chinese		Sanda' Slip
Herbert Black	8 0	Treat	. Amer.	bqe,	678	Jan.	16		Portland (Oregon)	
India Ionian	4 k	Dirksen	Ger.	bge.	1000	Jan.	22	Melchers & Co. Carlowitz & Co.	Marseilles	Wanchai Pins
Jalo	1 k	Moberg	Russ. Ger.	sh.	1865 1240	Feb.	23	Landstein & Co. Melchera & Co.	Singapore	Cleared
Kalaja Kate Waters	4 k	Giese	Brit.	bqe.	580	Deo.	8	Rozario & Co.	Newchwang	
Kenton Lady Bowen Louisa	. 3 c	Fox	Brit	bqe. bqe.	892	Jan.	21	Wieler & Co. Vogel, Hagedorn & Co. Eduard Schellhass & Co.		
Lucre Mangerton	2 h	Klindt	Slam.	bge.	482	Feb.	12	Tak Mee Wieler & Co.		
Maria Ravano	4 c	Jager Ravano	Ger.	bqe. bge,	858 874	Mar.		Wieler & Co. Thos. Howard & Co.		
Marquis of Argyle Mignon	2 0	Soule	Am. 3m	1, 80.	484	Dec.	7	Rozario & Co. Rozario & Co.	Victoria (V. L)	Cleared
Minerva Morning Star Mosquito	. 2 h	Michaelsen	Slam.	bge, bge. bg.	570	Jan. Jan. Feb.	. 8	Remedios & Co. Tack Mee Olyphant & Co.	Manila	To-day
Moss Glen Niagara	. 8 c	Nicholls	Brit.	bqe. bqe.	549	4	15	Landstein & Co. Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	New York	
North Star	. 5 k	Clark Thomson	Brit.	bqe.	695 1374	Jan. Feb.	24	Adamson, Bell & Co. Douglas Lapraik & Co.		The first of the second of the
Nuevo Constante P. J. Carleton	. 3 0	Urlarte	Span.	sch.	217 986	Feb.	28	Remedios & Co. P. & O. S. N. Co.	Manila	P. &O. Wharf
Palestine Papillon	. 2 c	Young	Fch.	bge.	458	Mar.	100	Melchers & Co. Landstein & Co. Siemssen & Co.	Bangkok Bangkok	
Peter	. 4:0	Lührs	Ger.	bge.	276	Mar.	4	Eduard Schellhass & Co. Meyer & Co.	Chefoo	
Quickstep Rapid	. 8 0	Barnaby	Amer.	bqe	826	Jan. Jan.		Russell & Co. Tek-mee Hop-kee		
River Lagan	.7 c	Quinn Timmsen	Brit. 8:	bqe n.so	851 204	Feb. Jan.	1	B Douglas Lapraik & Co. Meyer & Co.	10,000,000,000,000	For Sale
Samar	. 3 0	Millar	Amer.	sh bge	. 1056 . 814		10	8 Vogel, Hagedorn & Co. 6 Chinese		
Silas Fish	. 8 k	Hollowes	Brit.	bge	1040	Feb.	1	Meyer & Co. 4 Adamson, Bell & Co. 4 Carlewitz & Co.		
Sully Sumatra Tartar	. 3 k	Olough	Amer.	pqe ph bg	1090	Sept		Russell & Co. 1 Melchers & Co.	431441441414144444444444444444444444444	K'loon Dock
Tek Li	. 5 k	Petersen Gruzelica	Ger. Brit.	bge	850 888	Mar. Feb.	1	Wm. Pustau & Co. Borneo Co., Limited		
Titan Tokatea	. 8 c	Harrison	Brit.	bge	808	Feb.	91	Russell & Co. SCaptain		Cos'tan Dock
Wealthy Pendleton	. 7 0	Blanchard	Amer.	bge.	809	Feb.	1	6 Wieler & Co. 9 Meyer & Co. 1 Melchers & Co.		
Wega Wildwood Young Biata	. 8 0	Herriman	. Amer.	ah	. 1099	Jan.	28	Bozario & Co. Kin-tye-loong		
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Nicolaus		Otimanns	Ger,	sch	270 157	Feb. Mar.	2	Slemssen & Co. Arabold, Karberg & Co.	Tientein Tientein	
Northern Star		Wortley Bakker	Brit.	bge	327	Mar,		Wieler & Co. Siemssen & Co.	Tientain Tientain	
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Hoohung		Petersen McCaslin	Ohl	str. str	849	Mar.		BC. M. B. N. Co. BC. M. S. N. Co.	Shanghai Shanghai Shanghai	
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Le Hugon	6 0	French British	gun vessel man-of-wat gun Vessel	126h
Monocacy	8 k	British U. S.	military hospital	786 Hopping B
Peng-chou-hai	8 h	Chinese British	revenue orniser gun vessel	408 (a.m. on)
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